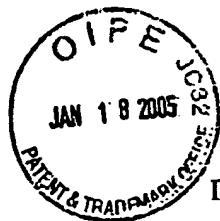


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**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 18, 2004, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the comments and amendments set forth below.